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☒ original patent application,

☐ continuation-in-part application

INVENTOR(S): Simpson et al.

TITLE: SYSTEM FOR AUTOMATICALLY RECOGNIZING DEVICES CONNECTED IN A DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT

Enclosed are:

- (X) The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ☒ signed ☐ unsigned or partially signed
(X) 5 sheets of drawings (one set) ☐ Associate Power of Attorney
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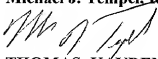
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Patent Application Transmittal Page with Fee Transmittal
Patent Application Consisting Of:
18 Pages of Specification
4 Pages of Claims
1 Page of Abstract
5 Pages of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1-3, 4A and 4B)
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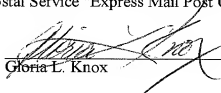
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